The Daily Courant.

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From the Amsterdam Courant, dated Octob. 28.

Basil, October 13.

OF the Battallion of Switzers, commanded by Collonel Fleckenstein, which the Roman Catholick Cantons had permitted to be lately rais'd in their Territories, for the Service of the Duke of Savoy, and which was in the Valley of Aoste when the French broke into it; of this Battallion I say but very few are come back into Switzerland; the rest being either taken by the French or having voluntarily deserted to them. Collonel Fleckenstein, and the Lieutenant-Collonel his Son, with most of the Officers came hither without Arms or Baggage. They endeavour to excuse their making no Opposition against the French, by alledging that their Battallion was ill provided with Arms and Ammunition: They report that the French have treated the Inhabitants of the Valley of Aoste very barbarously. The Regents of the Canton of Lucern having very lately sent a Letter to that of Zurich, complaining that some mean Persons of Zurich had talk'd very scandalously of the said Regents of Lucern, and requiring some kind of Reparation; the Regents of Zurich return'd Answer, that the Discourses of the Scum of the People are not worth taking notice of; but that they the said Regents of Zurich demanded Satisfaction for the scandalous Discourse a certain Priest of Sattel had vented against them, and for some Injuries of greater Consequence which their Canton had suffer'd from that of Lucern.

Basil, Octob. 17. The Contest about the Affair of Neukirch, [related at length in some of our former,] has so imbitter'd the Roman Catholick Cantons against that of Zurich, that there is ground to apprehend they will begin Hostilities upon the said Canton of Zurich: For they make great Preparations, have muster'd their Militia and exercise them frequently, have order'd all their Subjects to lay up a Years Provision, and have already secur'd divers Passes on their Frontiers. On the other side, the Canton of Zurich has not neglected to make sufficient Preparations for War. Monsieur Mellarede has receiv'd Instructions from the Duke of Savoy his Master, to renew his Instances to the Helvetick Body, for the Neutrality of Savoy. We have a Report here, that the Switzers which were taken by the French in the Fort of Baard, are condemn'd to the Gallies, under Pretence that they had no Order from their Soveraigns to fight against France; but 'tis hardly credited, because 'tis very unlikely France should venture to provoke the Canton of Bern (whose Subjects those Switzers are) at this Juncture.

From the Leiden Gazette, dated Octob. 28.

Milan, Octob. 14. An Order is publish'd, forbidding all Post-Masters in this Dutchy to furnish any Strangers or even Inhabitants of the Country with Horses, unless they have Passes from the Prince of Vaudemont our Governour General: Likewise all Persons who keep Ferry-Boats, and generally all Watermen, are forbidden to carry Horses over the Rivers, without the like Pasports. Which Orders are issued to prevent the passing of any Couriers which General Leiningen might offer to send through the Milanese to the Duke of Savoy, to acquaint his Royal Highness with his Motions, The Duke of Vendome is making great Preparations to besiege Verrue, notwithstanding his Army is extremely weaken'd, as well by the considerable Loss the Troops he commands suffer'd before Vercelli and Ivrea, as by Distempers which have carried off abundance of his Men, and by the several Detachments he has sent to his Brother the Grand Prior.

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Lions, October 15. Letters from the Army in Piemont say, that the Garrison of the Fort of Baard, which was taken by the Duke de la Feuillade the 4th instant, made no Resistance: 3 Villages lying near that Fort, the Inhabitants of which stood a little upon their Defence, were burnt. These Letters add, that the Duke of Vendome with the Army he commands, was marching towards Trino, in order to pass the Po there and joyn Monsieur Albergotti, who had already possess'd himself of some rising Grounds about Verrue.

Milan, Octobet 14. Letters from the Duke of Vendome's Army advise, that he has actually pass'd the Po in order to attack Verrue.

From the Leiden Gazette, dated Octob. 28.

Paris, Octob. 20. 'Tis computed, that 26 Battallions of the Duke of Savoy's Forces, besides some Horse, have been made Prisoners this Campaign, in the Places that have been taken by the Army of the 2 Crowns: But his Royal Highness has 24 Battallions left still, and a considerable Body of Horse; and some Advices from Piemont say he is determin'd to continue encamp'd at Crescentino to cover Verrue.

From the Paris Gazette a la Main, dated Oct. 24.

Paris, Octob. 24. The 20th a Courier from the Duke of Vendome brought Advice, that he had beaten the Enemies from the Eminences about Verrue; that he was making the necessary Dispositions for laying formal Siege to that Town; that his heavy Artillery was already arriv'd before the Place; and that the Artillery belonging to the State of Milan, was brought within a Mile of it; that the Trenches were to be open'd forthwith; that there was a Cassine fortified within 300 Paces of Verrue, which Cassine defends the Outworks, but which 'twas hop'd might be ruin'd with a few Cannon Shot; that there was Plenty of Provisions in his Camp, but that on the contrary Provisions were scarce and dear in the Enemies Army; and that the Duke of Savoy had but 4000 Foot, and 'twas suppos'd would retire under the Cannon of Turin. The 2 Battallions of the Regiment of Brie, that were at Praly and Ville seche in the Valleys of St. Martin and la Perouse, have defended themselves very bravely against 5 Regiments and 1000 Peasants which the Duke of Savoy sent thither to dislodge them: They kill'd above 200 of the Enemies, and took several Prisoners; and lost but about 20 Grenadiers and Soldiers.

Antwerp,

Antwerp, Octob. 24. The Elector of Bavaria having taken a View of the Lines of Brabant, of our City and Caſtle, and of our Forts on the ſide of the Scheld; deſign'd likewiſe to have View'd the Lines of Flanders; but the 22d receiving Advice by an Expreſs, that the Marſhal de Villeroy was coming in all haſte to Bruſſels, his Electoral Highneſs immediately went Poſt thither to receive him. 'Tis ſuppos'd that Marſhal is come to confer with his Electoral Highneſs, on ſome Enterprize of Moment, that is ſpeedily to be put in Execution.

Sheilds, October 20. The Fleet of Merchant Ships from Ruſſia is come into this Port: the Men of War their Convoys are at the Bar.

Yarmouth, Octob. 20. This day came into our Roads 70 Sail of Light Colliers under Convoy of her Majeſty's Ships the Aſſiſtance and Queenborough.

Harwich, Octob. 21. Yeſterday the Eagle Pacquet boat ſail'd with a Mail for Holland.

London, October 24.

Yeſterday Stocks were as follows, Bank 120 & 2qr. New Comp. 2 3. Shares 2 5 & a half. Old Comp. 121 & a half. Million Bank 84. Sword Blades 81. African 19 & a half. Army Debentures 85.

In yeſterday's Courant, the 1ſt Line of the 2d Column read, The other Prints. The 6th line of the laſt Column, for the Elector of Bavaria, read General Herbeville.

At the Deſire of ſeveral Perſons of Quality.

AT the Theatre Royal in Drury-Lane, this preſent Tueſday being the 24th of October, will be reviv'd a Comedy call'd, Sir Courtly Nice, or, It cannot be. The Part of Sir Thomas Calico to be perform'd by Mr. Eſtcourt. And tomorrow will be preſented a Play call'd, OROONOKO.

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